Product: 70 100-pound bags of flour at Youngstown, Ohio.

LABEL, IN PART: "Golden Leaf Vitamin Enriched Special Short Patent Flour Bleached."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects and insect fragments.

Disposition: February 3, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered disposed of by destruction or, if possible, by reprocessing, under the direction of the Food and Drug Administration, for use as animal feed. The product was mixed with bran and sold for stock feed.

6218. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 1,376 Bags of Flour. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond for salvaging of the portion fit for animal feed and destruction of remainder. (F. D. C. No. 10447. Sample No. 52895-F.)

LIBEL FILED: August 21, 1943, Eastern District of Virginia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 8, 1943, by the Lexington Mill & Elevator Co., from Lexington, Nebr.

PRODUCT: 1,376 10-pound bags of flour at Norfolk, Va.

LABEL, IN PART: "Bleached Lexington Cream XXXXX High Patent Flour."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects, larvae, cast skins, and insect fragments.

DISPOSITION: November 8, 1943. I. Saunders and H. L. Saunders, trading as the Saunders Provision Co., Norfolk, Va., claimants, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for salvaging of the portion fit for use as animal feed and the destruction of the portion unfit for any legal use, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

6219. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 40 Bags of Flour. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered sold for use as animal feed. (F. D. C. No. 11822. Sample No. 58819-F.)

LIBEL FILED: February 15, 1944, District of Maryland.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 20, 1943, from Cherryvale, Kans.

PRODUCT: 40 100-pound bags of flour at Brooklandville, Md., in possession of Standard Foods, Inc.

The flour was stored, after shipment, under insanitary conditions. The bags had been damaged by rodents and the flour contaminated with rodent excreta, rodent hairs, and urine.

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it might have become contaminated with filth.

Disposition: February 25, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered sold for use as animal feed.

6220. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 326 Bags of Flour. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 11199. Sample No. 35865-F.)

LIBEL FILED: December 1, 1943, Northern District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 2, 1943, from Wichita Kans.

PRODUCT: 326 100-pound bags of flour at Griffin, Ga., in possession of the City Wholesale Co., Inc.

The flour was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. Rodent excreta and urine stains were noted on the bags, two rodent nests were seen in the stack of flour, and some of the bags had been cut by rodents. Examination of samples of the flour confirmed the presence of urine and rodent excreta.

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it might have become contaminated with filth.